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GLEICHEN, ALBERTA, THURSDAY, MAY 30, 1907.

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Victoria Day Celebration

Citizens Ball a Great Success-The Sports Well Attended and Keen Interest Manifested

lines in this portion of Fanny Southern Alberta's unequalled wheat belt, and when it was announced that the Citi zens of Gleichen would entertain with a ball and sports, the idea was embraced with fervor by all classes and nationalities-English, Scotch, Irish, French, Swedes, Yankees, Canucks and aborigines, perhaps the latter were the most enthusiastic of all in the sports.

The Citizens' Ball.

ers Hall Thursday evening was the most successful and enjoyable affair ever viven in Gleichen, so voted an influencial concourse of people. The The citizens of tileichen-and more especially the committee in chargemay well be proud of the distinction won and merited of giving the grandest tall ever given in this section. When these good people decide to do a thing they go at it with a will and vin that would do credit to a town many times its population. Toey not only unde everything pleasant, but they did it

75 miles north to 80 miles south; and from Winnipeg east to British Columbia in the west. In fact there were few in a range of many miles who were not present:

Sharp at 9 o'clock Floor Manager Marshall led the grand march and the ball started off in full swing. It was in leed a merry sight, viewed from the platform, as the much wended its way turough the spacious hall, which was fairly packed, and every inch of standing room occupied by sight-seers, includi g the platform and hall ways. "For hall is too small," was the only conplaint heard, du ing the entire night. Sall, every one was good natured and jo-tied each other with many a joke and stole a seat when the ouportunity afforded. It was estimated that at least 200 people were in the hall.

tiond music-Well, yes. How could it be otherwise with an orchestra com posed of members of the Calgary professionals-the best in the west. And when they rested local talent took their places and that their efforts were appreciated it is only necessary to say that the Calgary professionals were heard to remark that they had not enjoyed a dance or danced more in

the Gleichen ladies are! These were game they put up. served with tea, coffee and lem made at a luncheon counter on the platform, and to Mrs. Bray and Mr. Griesbach

Following the refreshments the dance short night began to wane and the sun spread its rays across the prairie.

& Firth, who are deserving of much different contests. credit.

Among those present were:

Race distinctions find no sharply drawn | Lee, A. McEwen, McMillan B. McEwen Broughton, A. Telford.

> Madames Synge, Solberg, Marshall Wilson, Young, Bray, Coegrave, Hunter Beaupre, Rose, Firth, Moore, Oustrander, Brereton, Stuart, Prestwich, Biggs, McPhee, Aligood, Naylor, Rouche, Dickenson, Evans, Wishart, McKay James, McNeil and McClaskey.

Messrs. Synge, J. Hardwick, Playfair, Solberg, Jackson, MacLetyre, Brown Rose, Marshall, McKie, Bury, Wilson The Citizens' Ball given in the Forest- McCoy, Young, McLean, Poe, Yates. Beach, Bray, Cograve, Hunter, Beanpre, Lee, Notter, Creary, Wagstaff Oliver, Griesbach, Firth, Dahaime Craig. Wolliams, A. Renaud, Johnston, Jones G. Ev. ns, Moore, Oustrander, Stuart, H. Prestwick, Otto, P. Prestwick, Barns Jaques, Ariae, Campbell, Too uss, Mors ton, Kurth, Oleson, Pelton, Fairchild. Tostivan, Schneph, Mortimer, Wishari W. Evans, Cairns, J. Clark, C. Evans McKay, E. Wilson, Hamer, D. Wilson, Lambiey, Harris, Dickenson, J. Roneste, Watk, S. and O. Dejudine, Killenp. Bunnerman, Inkster, D'Arcv, Freend, Brereley, Foster, Eccles, Dillon, Milliken, P. Mc Seil, A. If aldell, Mathieson. serive from distant parts-coming from McMillan. Neylor Algood, McPine. Welsh, Biggs Kirstien, Windham, Pen der Lawson, D. McNeil.

Victoria Day Sports.

Victoria Day was not one of our usual unny days, but was cool and at time a sprinkling of rain descended, which is no wise interfered with the excellent program provided, and each event was heartily entered into by one and all.

At 11 a.m. the first event of the day was called, when a football match be tween a Gleichen team and the Blackfoot Indians was participated in. A good deal of fun was had out of the game by the spectators, but it was really a very poor attempt at playing football and it is to be hoped the whitemen will C. A. Millie, the only other competitor. learn a lesson from the match. The Indians scored the only goal and one off side goal, and are deserving of much od by Mortimer and D'Arcy. credit for the play they put up, which showed no real science in playing. The tired, but happy. players all acknowledge this and most of them readily admit they must have practice and learn to work together before they can expect to play other teams. Gleichen has some good individ players, but in combination they

Horse Racing.

blood horse.

In the first heat Wm. Service won easily, strength to dwell in our midst. in the second C. J. Bray won, and in the third Bray's horse broke nearly the whole distance, Service winning the

Mortimer second, followed by Inkster, Beach and Rose.

advisable to put the names of the winners in type. A gray horse took first long life and every happiness. and a buckskin second.

In the 100-yard foot race Mortimer took first easily and Andree Cree 2nd, 19 strong last Sunday evening from their followed by Richard Cree and D'Arcy. hall to St. Andrew's church, where Rev. The bending competition was quite interesting and a lad who ran out to held a special service for the brethren. chase a dog off the course just as the The church was well filled with worshiprace started had a narrow escape from ers and Mr. Castle preached an eloquent being run over. Frank Stuart riding and appropriate sermon. inkster's horse won first, T. H. Beach second and Ed. Wilson third place.

were saddled they proved rather mild. domesticated and all the efforts of the will be made use of in another issue. Indian refused to make him exhibit any real bad cayuse instincts. Wm. Banner note mounted II. Scott's horse with lifficulty and for a short time the horse bucked in pretty good shape, but soon rave up the notion. Later Frank Stuabrought up F. G. Mortimer's horse and gave quite a lively exhibition. The judge was about to give a decision in favor of Stuart being first, but as it was found his horse had not been entered Bannerman was given the prize.

The Ladies Race was the best race of the day, Mrs. Bray winning a close first on Lambley's horse and Miss. Brown second on Millie's horse. This was a place. race for blood and run under whip from start to finish and ended with great applause from the bleachers,

In the quarter-mile dash lambles came in first, Wishart second, followed by Mortimer and an Indian.

In the jumping contest T. H. Beach on Wishart's "Polo" won first money easily by jumping 3 feet 8 inches from W. McEwen took first money in the 120 yard hurdle race being closely follow-

In the evening another dance was is more than can be said of the white given in the hall, which lasted watel men. Both sides worked hard but about 3 a.m. when all went home very

TOWNAND DISTRICT

Supper-Out of eight; at least as lack, which they may get if the Indians One of the prettiest and most importquickly and as much as it was con- get after them a few more times. Capt. ant events in the social circle of our venient. There were sandwiches and Hawten and his Indian team are sit town took place on Monday morning at almost as many different kinds of pie educated men and much credit is given the South Camp, when Joseph Arthur and cake as there were people; more, them for their personal appearance on E Renaud and Miss Mary Emily Oliver they were all home-made. What cooks the field and the good-natured, fair-play, were united in the holy bonds of matri- the 15th day of May, a son. Both mother mony by the Rev. Father Lepine. The er and son are doing well. bride was robed in a pretty champaign. Charles Stokes of Spokane, Wash After luncheon the town en masse colored silk dress, trimmed with waxwent out to the race course and a berries and wore a white will. She was last Saturday. He contemplates home special credit is due for their attention splen lid afternoon's sport was enjoyed, given away by Mr. N. J. Beaupre, while steading and buying adjoining property. to the guests in serving these delicacies. Mr. Geo. Gow from Red Dier river the groom was supported by his father. Ole Nelson was up to Gleichen Friday made an excellent judge and Mr. Young Mr F E. Renaud. Light refreshments and returned Saturday. started with new vim and continued asstarter had good success as there were were served by the Sisters of the Camp. The following are a few that were n none of the long waits usually so prevail- after which the party proceeded to attendance at the Citizens Ball and ent on the track. J. T. Johnston took Gleichen and partook heartily of a boun F.iday's Sports in Gielchen from this the entries and although at times his teoms wedding dinner at the home of the district; Misses H. Hurley, K. Brown The hall was most artistically decor- work was necessarily slow it was not newly-married couple. A hall was given and E. Dalton, Mrs. P. Solberg and ated for the of casion by Messrs. Dahaime his fault, but that of those entering the by the bride and groom in the evening to Mrs. T. Synge, Messrs. Austin Brown which over 60 couples accepted invita | Dave Brown, J. Hardwick R. Rose, W. The half-mile was the first race, in tions and thoroughly enjoyed them- Brown, J. Hardwick, T. Synge, Ray which five horses started and came in selves, Mr. and Mrs. Renand proving Jackson, C. McIntyre, and also several Misses Dalton, Hoerle, Brown, Millie, as follows: R. E Lambley 1st, D. Wish- excellent hosts. They were the recipi- others, which speaks well for Gleichen Armstrong, B. Renaud, Oliver, F. art 2nd, C. A. Millie, J. Roneche and ents of many handsome and costly pros- as entertainers when people will drive Renaud, M. Telford, Maws, Roueche, G. B. Harris. The latter's stock saddle ents from their relatives and friends. 25 to 30 miles in the busy season. L. y Crabtree, Lee, McMillan, Kurstein, and chaps made the difference with the The Call desires to join the many friends all report a real good time.

in extending to Mr. and Mrs. Renaud There were three heats in the single loug hearty congratulations and hope driving compition and only two entries, they may be long spared in health and

On Saturday, May 25th, a wedding at Banff, the contracting partings being The Cowboy race was quite exciting, Miss E. Tanner, daughter of Jas. Tanfive horses starting. Wishart's horse, ner, of Cork, Ireland, and Mr. Joseph rold by F. Stuart, one first money A. N. Bottomley, C. P. R. agent of Gleichen. The happy couple arrived in Gleichen Sanday and will reside here There was plenty of fan and excite- permanently. Mr. and Mrs. Bottomley ment in the Indian Race, but it is not are well known here and The Call joins their numerous friends in wishing them

> The members of Court Blackfoot, No. 7875. Ancient Order of Foresters, paraded Mr. Castle, assisted by Rev. Mr. Stocken

II. II. Honen sales manager of the C. The bucking co test at first promised P. I. C. Co., spent a pleasant hour a to be a great event, but after the horses. The Call office Saturday morning, talking over the advantages of irrigation. Andrew Cree rode Jas. Naylor's horse He has had the opportunity of studying and was the first to mount, but after a the subject in all the western States and few jumps the horse became quite gave much valuable information which

> week from Ireland to spend sometime with his brothers here. The Captaiis an officer in the Irish Guards, and already owns considerable land about three miles east of town, of which his brothers have put 320 acres in crop for him this year.

J. P. McBeath was in Gleichen severa days last week making arrangements to open a store near the ferry on Red Dee river. He will also run a parsenge and freight wazzon from that point t Gleichen every week, and is in hope of getting a post office establised at hi

Saturday Sports. As an off shoot from the sports Satur day evening the following races wer

Lambley's brown horse is a quartetile race easily won \$50 from Little Axe's horse. This is the Indian horabout which so much has been heard. In a half-mile race Lambley's sorre

von from Buckskin's sorrel \$25. Henry Schneph's white horse won

quarter-mile from L. E. Besant's roan T. H. Beach's brown won by 50 yard quarter-mile from L. E. Besant. latter with all his riding paraphernal being unable to keep the track

QUEENSTO WN NEWS

John McCow of Gleighe here on business last Tuesday.

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Gleichen, Alberta, May 30, 1907.

New and important regulations for the disposal of coal mining rights, the property of the crown in Manitoba, Sackatchwan, Alberta and the Yukon territory, and Dominion lands generally, have been promulgated and appears in the Canada Gazette. They provide that coal mining rights may be leased for 21 years at an annual rental of \$10 per acre, payable in advance. No applicant shall be allowed to lease more than an area of 2,500 acres, No tract may be contiguous, and the area shall not exceed four miles in its greatest dimensions. Applications are made through the dominion lands agent or a sub-agent of the district. In unsurveyed territory the applications must be made in 30 days after being located. Where a dispute as to location occurs the right to the lease will be decided by the minister of the interior upon hearing evidence.

Coal mining leaseholds embracing any portion of a township must conform to the dominion lands system of survey. The lease shall include coal mining rights only but the leasee may upon application, be permitted to purchase at the rate of \$10 per acre whatever the area of the available surface rights the minister may consider necessary for the efficient and economical working of the coal mine rights granted in the lease. The leasee must beg'n operations in one year from the date of his being notified to do so and shall produce the quantity of coal specified Rates from \$1 to \$1.50 a Day on such order. The order will not be given until the expiration of one year.

In no case will the maximum quantity required to be mined during each year be over 10 tons per acre leased. If this order is not complied with then the lease is subject to cancellation. The lessee cannot assign his rights without leave of the minister. Actual settlers shall be entitled to buy at the pit's mout! whatever coal they may require for their own use, but not for barter or sale at a price not to exceed \$1.75 per ton, and the lease issued for coal rights Finall be subject to such provision. A fee of \$5 is charged tor each lease.

In addition to the rent a royalty of five cents per ton of 2,000 pounds will be levied on the output of the mine. A sworn statement of the output must be given by the per- Have your son operating the mine. In default of this the lease may be cancelled. In case of disputes provision is made for arbitration. The arbitrators will get \$5 a day and traveling expenses. Under these regulations prepared by the minister of interior parties will be unable to hold coal for specu- A Good Stock of lative purposes They must be operated or become liable to cancellation,

People who love to talk-and most of us do-will hail Judge Russell of Nova Scotia as a Daniel come to judgement. He takes sharp issue with Carlyle's laudation of silence. "It is talk," says Judge Russell, "discussion by man with man over the dinner table -- in the hotel rotunda -in the smoker of the Pullman-in the country store where the talker sits enthroned on a nail keg, while the auditors may be perched in the dull season along the counter-in the newspaper and popular magizines-in the parliament of the country-and from the various pulpits of the land, which shapes the course of public opinion and determines the destiny of a nation."

Judge Morson, of Toronto, in giving his decision on an appeal made by a restaurant keeper, who was convicted under the Lord's Day Act of selling fruit on Sunday, deeidel that fruit, ice cream, candies, ice cream sodas, etc., are foods and that the law permits all bona fide resturant keepers to sell such food on Sunday, without assuming any responsibility, whether the stuff be eaten on or off the prémises on which it is sold. Judge Morson, in rendering his decision, proved his liberality in the way of interpretation by quoting Lord Kenyon, "I am for the observance of the Sabbath, but not for a pharisaical observance of it."

We further wish to point out that the people who are flocking into the Northwest at the rate of twenty thousand of Creation is the man who always pays n month are bona fide settlers. Some of the older residents the printer; he is sare of a bunk in do not settle as well, perferring to put their ready money into land speculation - Toronte Sign

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CALL to those now here to work for the interests of that Gleichen they have made their home, to work for its present interests and its future welfare; to work unselfishly and unitedly for its advancement and prosperity. To work and never rest content till "Our Town" reaches a higher and a higher and a still higher position, nor to cease their endeavors 'ill at last she takes her place as one of the foremost cities in fertile, mineral-endowed, heaithy, beantiful, Sunny Alberta.

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THE VILLAGE EPITAPH

Sort o' jollied along In th' friendliest way, With a smile or a song And a kind thing to eay; Never had a harsh word If a fellow went wrong, All th' good in you stirred As he jollied along.

Sort o' easy and free With a word of good cheer. Kind o' helpful to me And inspirin' to hear; Didn't take it to heart If a thing should go wrong, Said he made it an art Just to joily slong.

Put a fles in your ear As he chanced to go by With a voice (all of cheer And a wink of his eye; If he reconed you went At a pace quite too strong, But you knew what he meant As he jollied along.

And the clouds might be drear Or the sky might be grav, But he brought you good cheer If he happened your way ; For he gave you a laugh Or a snatch of a song And your woes went like chaff As he jelhed along.

And I've missed him today-Somethin' friendly an' sweet Like a flower gone away From our side of the street; And they told me his smile Was so eweet-and a song On his lips all th' while When he jollied along. -J. W., Foley in New York Times.

Finding Many Stray Cattle

"The cattle losses amongest the ranchers south of the Cypress Hills is nothing like what was rumered earlier in the spring. The riders have been out for he last couple of weeks and report that the stockmen down in Montana Lave generously fed a great many of the strays which were known to have drifted across the border and were thought to have rancher alone reports the recovery of eighty odd head which a friendly American cattleman fed all through the winter," says a report from Medicine

George Lane proprietor of the Bar U anch who had about 30,000 head last fall, speaks very encouragingly of the situation. The reports of his sustaining heavy losses is wrong. For a great many years his losses averaged from 3 to 4 per cent which is an exceedingly low average. This year his losses will everage about 12 per cent. Mr. Lane is buying cattle now which is very wise for cattle is bound to increase very much in value ere the end of this year - Itigh River Times.

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SEEDING

SEASON

As if in harmony with the truth of the knowledge that cereals obtain the highest degrees of perfection when grown to maturity in high latitudes, it is contended by many who have intelligently and profitably followed farming and particularly wheat growing in western Canada, for over a quarter of a century, that the shortness of the germinating season not only does not necessarily operate against a good crop, but as a rule the best crops are obtained when the spring is not either exceptionally early or the seeding done at an early date in the spring.

This contention is substantially verified by Mr. J. J. Golden, deputy minister of agriculture of Manitoba, who has practical, personal and widespread knowledge of agricultural conditions for the last twenty-eight years in the west, and by the official records of the provincial department of agriculture.

The crop returns for the year 1900, one of the poorest years in the progress f western Canada, strikingly support Mr. Golden's confidence ,and the assurance of western farmers of many years experience, In 1900 seeding in Manitoba was begun and carried on in the month of March, and practically completed early in April. In Alberta coniderable seeding was done as early as February in that year. This was probably the earliest spring with the highest average temperature that the Canadian west has experienced since agriculture was the most important factor in its material existence. In 1900, however, was the poorest crop in its history, the average of wheat per acre being 8.9

In the year 1881 seeding did not be ome general in Manitoba till about the first day of May, and a splendid average crop per acre was garnered.

In 1884 seeding began in the last of April, becoming general on the 29th and an average of 20.11 bushels was obtained throughout Manitoba.

In 1886 seeding was epceptionally early, being general after April 1st, and and the average wheat crop resulted in only 15.33 bushels per acre. Again in 1889 seeding was exceptionally early of income, the payments must be kept and the average was only 12.4 bushels per acre. In 1897 seeding was general from April 1 to April 20 and the average 14 14 bushels per acre.

The explanation of the confidence and sanguine expectations of those who prosperous, and the man who is no have practical knowledge of western | making money now may expect to go to Canada grain growing, and who believe that the lateness of reeding operations this year in Manitoba will have little to do with the harvest results, is that their knowledge and experience have shown take not, times are soon coming that that two of the chief factors in the successful maturing of grain are almost invariably present after a late springsufficient moisture, which in seeding is often wasted, and the absence of staynation is the growth of grain during what may be called a short season. In other words moisture and contiunity of healthy growth, of which the continuous anid growth of the hothouse is a paradel, are the important factors of grain growing in Manitoba, and the lateness of a reason does not necessarily interfere with either.

At the present time there are 5,046,579 cres under cultivation in Manitoba. The number of acres ploughed last fall in Manitoba was 1.508.810 acres, the number of acres broke 184,144 and the number summer fallowed 780,985. If there was the same number of acres to the health of the locality and of the cummer fallowed this year as last there town at large. If you are unfortunate would be 4,285,584 acres for crop this enough not to have a garden we would

omnious of anything, of good crop prospects, and the increased acreage under cultivation carries many assurances .-Wianipeg Telegram.

living beyond their income and counting the increase in value of their property to make up the deficit, while others are investing (probably in good speculations) money that should be addness or even to meet current expenses, cost \$ 1 per month. Too frequently these speculations are



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up or the equity involved will be lost To there causes we attribute the short ness of money noticeable at present Times are are not bad but overwhelm ingly good; this country was never at the wall when this wave of prosperity ebbs. The man who fails to keep a safe path to the woods carefully tracked out is also unwise. If we mis will show which is cash and which is

A special effort should be made by the various householders of the town to improve their premises this spring. During the summer thousands of visitors will visit our town and it is very important that a good impression should be made by every legitimate means. Apart from the general improvement in the appearance of the streets all citizens should see to it that their lawns and gardens are well kept. There is much enhanced appearance, there is a sanit suggest to offer assistance to a friend who has .- High River Time .

wind in the finance of this country.

Neepawa (Man.) Register.

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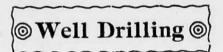
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Coming and Going

Ed. Henrath of Bassano was here for

Ed Kenney was in from the L X Ranch last Thursday.

R. Allen with his wife and family are moving into town to live.

Mrs. D. Bereton left last Thorsday to visit her sister in Calgary.

C. C. Milne of Portland, Oregon, is looking up land in the Queenstown

R H. Hogg of Wilmer, B.C., arrived in for Red Deer.

W. B. Cambell and wife came in from the Bow River last Thursday to attend the citizen's ball,

J. Hardwise, W. S. Playfair and Mr. FOR SALE-30 young cows in calf and 12 veralings. For particulars apply to H. Scott, Gleichen. and Mrs. Synge all of Snake Valley

were here Thursday. Jno. Riddell and wife came down om Calgary last Thursday and have

since gone out to Queenstown. Jack Miller came in from Hand Hills and on Monday night was showing the Gleichen people how the Hand Hills boys can run and win foot races

J. Wilkenson came up from Bussano last Saturday.

J. Pelton's mother and sister arrived Monday from Montreal to visit him, and are en route to Vancouver, B. C.

Angus McKay, who has been in charge of J. B. Dutour's building contracts at Strathmore has returned to Gleicken to

Arthur Huddel, the Calgary represent ative of the Royal Insurance Co., was doing business here last week and attended the citizens ball.

Monday evening T. H. Beach and L Desjardine ran their horses a quarter-mile race for \$10, Beach's horse winning easily. The same evening Beach's lost a race to Lambley's sorrel.

Frank Stuart, wife and family, left Gleichen Tuesday for Red Deer river, where they will spend the summer on their ranch.

Robt, Dennis was down from Strathmore the latter part of last week.

Constable E. H. Oliver of the R N.W. M Police came in last week from Berry Creek.

A. H. Thorle was in from Hicksburg for Victoria day.

O. G. Colquboun and H. Harris of the Circle ranch were in town last Friday. The latter has since left for Lethbridge Geo. A. Walton, who runs a livery at

Daysland, Alta., is in town this week. Chas Suffel, the Strathmore C. P R

telegraph operator, was in Gleichen filling J. A. N. Bottomley's place while ie was at Banff. A meeting of the Beef Commissioners

is to be held in Gleichen June 26th and The Namaka townsite has been survey

ed and town lots will soon be offered for sale in that new town.

A settler arrived from Colorado last week with a carload of effects, together with four good horses that were badly crowded for room in the car and presented a pitable sight when unloaded here. One horse has since died, but the others are recovering.

Miss McKay returned Monday fron visit to relatives at Medicine Hat.

Mrs. J. A. E. Beaupre's garden of Railway Street is very prettily laid out as can be seen by the sprouts of the numerous buds of vegetables and flowers now appearing above the ground and in a few more weeks her garden and orchard will be the most attractive in

Mrs. J. A. Markle has in her conservfirst flower appearing a few days ago, and many others are just about to open. It is a beautiful flower and well worth seeing. She also has a great variety of pansies in her garden.

LOST-In Gleichen on Sunday \$19, three \$5 bills and four \$1 bills. A reward is offered for the return to The Call office.

\$25.00 Keward—Strayed or Stolen. One team of dark bay horres, 8 years old, both have white stripes down face. One horse is branded TX on the left shoulder and CU3 on the left thigh, weighing about 1000 pounds. The other horse is branded figure square eight and a crows foot on left shoulder and B5 on right shoulder, weight about 950. If these horses are unlawfully detained by any persons \$50 will be given for their conviction. Apply to D. C. WISHART, Gleichen.

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J. LITTEF, Gleichen.

LOST-A black and white terrier dog. For reward apply to C. J. Bray.

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